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G. W. CLUB TO FOSTER ATHLETIC INTERESTS

Adoption of the by-laws and provision for a committee to show hospitality to visiting athletic teams was the chief business conducted at the meeting of the G. W. Letter Club, Tuesday, October 16.

The object of the club, which is composed of men who have won the major G. W. is "to encourage the development of and to promote cooperation among the various branches of athletics and to increase the general student interest in athletics at George Washington University."

The next meeting of the club will be held in Lisner Hall, Tuesday, November 6, at 8.30 o'clock.

JUNIORS TO WELCOME FROSH WITH DANCE

Entertainment and Reception for First Year Class at Kappa Sigma House, October 26.

On Friday, October 26, at the Kappa Sigma House, 1758 N Street, the Junior Class of George Washington will formally welcome the incoming freshmen. This event, which takes the form of a reception, is one of the big annual happenings on the social calendar of the University. Under the direction of President Harold Young, of the Juniors, plans have been completed which promise to make a huge success of the undertaking.

Good music, refreshments, and dancing will feature the evening from 9 o'clock till 12, when the festivities will come to a close. The music is to be furnished almost entirely by Phi Sigma Kappa pledges, who have organized an unusually good orchestra among themselves, and are planning to burst into the limelight on the night of the 26th.

One of the unusual events of the evening which have been promised by the committee, is the tagging of the Freshmen and the Juniors. Buff tags bearing the year '27, in blue, have been prepared for the Freshmen to wear, and similar tags with the colorings reversed and the year changed, will be worn by the Juniors. Sophomores and Seniors, although there will undoubtedly be many present, will not be honored by decorations.

Working under the leadership of their president, Harold Young, the committee composed of Marguerite Daly, Dorothy Haddock, Ernest Stewart, and Leonard McCarthy, accomplished a great deal in a short time, and is now confident of the success which the reception is expected to have. Juniors are especially urged to be present to welcome the Freshman Class.

ANOTHER FRESHMAN MIXER TO BE HELD NOV. 1

The Freshmen Class will give its second mixer on Thursday, November 1, at Lisner Hall. The freshmen orchestra, which has recently been organized, will be on hand to furnish the music for dancing.

All freshmen are urged to come out and to get to know their class. These mixers are the best way of becoming acquainted, and it is for this reason that they are given.

TO FORM FROSH ORCHESTRA

If you hear the strains of "Barney Google," "Yes, We Have No Bananas," or any of the modern musical impossibilities issuing from the halls of G. W. U. in the near future you may set it down that it is the new Freshman orchestra being formed under the direction of William Jeffries Chearning, class secretary. Many applications have been received, and no doubt a very creditable jazz band will be made out of the material. Among those coming out are Chearning, who plays trap drums, Sherman E. Johnson, violinist, Joseph T. Caples, trombone, and Lew Sharpnack, cornet.

DEAN WILBUR FRAT GUEST

Dean William Allen Wilbur was the guest of Theta Delta Chi Fraternity at a dinner party given at the new chateau house, 1731 P Street N. W., Wednesday, October 17. After the dinner a victrola dance was held.

MASONS TO MEET TUESDAY

All the Masons are invited and urged to come to a meeting of the Masonic Club, Tuesday, October 23, at 8 o'clock, in the Gavel Club Rooms at 719 Thirteenth Street N. W. After the meeting there will be a smoker and mixer.

G. W. U. ADVANCEMENT IS PARTY PLATFORM

Student Organization Favors Support of Endowment Campaign.

WANTS "GHOST" REVIVED.

Extension of Athletics and Reorganization of Student Activities Part of Plans.

A movement started by a group of students representing virtually every organization in the University, has culminated in the formation of a political organization known as the Independent Party. This is the first instance in the history of the University where the students, acting upon their own initiative, have undertaken a movement to promote all form of student activities throughout the University.

The Independent Party, in a campaign conducted for its candidates to the Student Council, made public shortly before the election, by a distribution of circulars to the student body, the platform and the six main issues upon which it stood. The issues which the party supports are: Reorganization of Student Activities;

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MANY SOCIAL EVENTS HELD BY SIGMA CHI

Ceremonies were recently conducted in Arlington Cemetery in connection with the dedication of a monument to General Benjamin Platt Runkle, one of the founders of the Fraternity. Following the dedication a banquet was given at the New Willard Hotel in honor of the national head of the fraternity, Postmaster General Harry S. New and Mrs. New.

The last of a series of social events was a dance given at the fraternity house, Saturday night, October 13.

WOMEN LAWYERS INVITE

Everyone with fifty-five cents looking for a good time had better get hold of a ticket to the Women's Legal Club party, to be given at the Law School Tuesday, October 30th. Sokolov's Orchestra will furnish peppy music, and there will be lots of confetti, streamers, and balloons, and plenty of refreshments for everybody. The party promises to make the ordinary cabaret look like a tea dance.

The Women's Legal Club was organized four years ago, and has rendered valuable service to the Law School. It has furnished the women's room at the Law School with furniture and with covers for the chairs and cushions. The club was organized with the idea of getting women interested in the legal profession associated with one another so that when they go out into the world they may meet again on a common basis.

This year the Women's Legal Club intends to broaden its scope of work and also to become better known throughout the Law School. As evidence of this fact, it has already established a registration system, whereby girls who are going to the Law School may register with them and they get employment for them, if they desire. This bureau has already proved very effective and has rendered valuable service to many girls.

GLEE CLUB HEARS PLANS

The G. W. U. Glee Club got under way at a meeting in Lisner Hall on last Thursday, October 18. Some twenty men reported to W. Graham Fly, last year's president, who presided at the meeting and who told of plans for this year's activities, which include a trip of some length into foreign territory and a number of concerts in this city.

The club needs all the men in the University who can sing and more especially tenors, though everyone will be welcome. Regular rehearsals are to be held in the studio of Director Miller in the First Congregational Church every Thursday evening until further notice. If you can sing and will report next Thursday and you will be welcomed.

FACULTY NOTES

Dean Borden, because of illness, has been confined to his home for more than a week.

Prof. Oliver J. Irish is the proud father of a new baby girl. Congratulations!

SIXTY TO GRADUATE AT FALL CONVOCATION

Sixty students will receive degrees from the hand of President Lewis at the Fall Convocation, to be held next Thursday, October 25, at 10.30 o'clock in the Concordia Lutheran Church, Twentieth and G Streets.

"America's Position in the World" is the subject of the address to the graduates, and will be made by Frederick William Wile, director of the local bureau of the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

At this convocation President Lewis will preside for the first time in his official capacity and will briefly address the graduates.

LAW SCHOOL RAISES REQUIREMENTS FOR LL. B.

Requirements for graduation from the George Washington Law School have been advanced so that students entering the Law School after January 1, 1924, will be required to complete eighty semester hours of law work to receive the degree of Bachelor of Laws, instead of seventy-two hours, as formerly required.

This advanced requirement will not be retroactive. Students who have already registered in the Law School or who register before January 1st, will be permitted to graduate upon the completion of seventy-two hours of law work.

Full-time students registering after January 1st will be permitted to take fourteen semester hours of work a week, while evening students will be allowed to take only ten hours of work. Summer school sessions composed of two six-week periods, will be held as in years past. By attending both sessions of the summer school evening students will be enabled to graduate in three years as at present.

Requirements for graduation from the Law School have been made to keep that school up to the standards and requirements of the American Bar Association. At present George Washington is the only Law School in the District which complies with the requirements of the American Bar Association.

Entrance requirements were raised in the Law School on September 1st of the year. Students entering now must have completed at least thirty semester hours of academic work in some recognized college or university, whereas students were formerly permitted to enter with only fifteen units from an accredited high school. These requirements will again be raised on September 1, 1925, whereby students entering the Law School subsequent to that date have completed at least two years of academic work in some recognized college or university.

A. K. K. FRAT ENTERTAINS

Alpha Kappa Kappa Medical Fraternity promises to have a big year, according to its members, if present indications hold true. Saturday the Sixth, a smoker and buffet luncheon was given to a large gathering of alumni, members, and friends at the University Club, Fifteenth and I Sts.

Among the speakers were Major Clark, of the U. S. Army Medical Corps, Dr. Tom Crisp, and Dr. Oscar B. Hunter. Eight new men were also pledged.

G. W. CLUB GIVES AID

Great aid was furnished to those in charge of the arrangements of the G. W. Drexel game by members of the G. W. Letter Club. The committee of the club, under the chairmanship of Robert H. McNeill, met the visiting team and handled the selling and collecting of tickets at the game.

Those on the committee were Robert H. McNeill, chairman; Baxter Smith, Lawrence K. Hyde, Dale Fisher, Alvin McNish, Harold Young, and John Detwiler.

WOODARD ON VACATION

Wickiffe Woodard, associate editor and chairman of the Sophomore Vigilance Committee, who was recently operated on for appendicitis, has left the hospital and intends to spend ten days in Virginia.

MCLEAN TWINS STAR IN DOWNING DREXEL

Ptak's Touchdown and a Safety Margin of Hatchettes' Victory.

DREXEL UNABLE TO GAIN

Clements Plays Great Defensive Game; Pryor's Boating Features; G. W.'s Passing Effective.

Bill Quigley had a pair of aces up his sleeve to help defeat the Drexel Institute team of Philadelphia 8 to 0 last Saturday afternoon at the Central Stadium. This pair was the McLean twins playing their first game of real football, and outside of a little nervousness they played like Killingers. The pair were used interchangeably at quarterback and that bit of strategy kept the Drexel outfit in a fog wondering where the extra man was. George McLean got away for two of the prettiest gains of the game, both for about thirty yards.

Beside the twins Francis Clements played a great game. His work on the defense bordered on the sensational, as time and again he tore through the Drexel line to smear line bucks before they got under way. The entire line played good defensive football, which the Quakers were unable to penetrate. Sawyer, who had been shifted from tackle to end displayed great aggressiveness and broke up all attempts to skirt his flank. So fast were the Hatchette ends in getting down under punts that on every occasion the receivers were downed in their tracks.

Homer Pryor, returning to the game after two weeks layoff with an injured shoulder, gave a very excellent emulation of the great Harry Kipke of Michigan, in his punting. Every one of his kicks were placed to a nicety or fell dead close to the goal line. Of course, Jimmy Ptak snaked in some pretty passes but everybody expected that.

Quigleyites Superior.

As to the game there is very little to tell except that the locals should have scored at least twice more. The first score came in the third quarter after George MacLean's two long runs through the line. Jimmy Ptak carried the ball over after receiving a pretty pass from Henderson. Lamar missed the try for the point. The last score came when Hottle broke through the line and downed the Quaker kicker for a safety.

The superiority of the Hatchettes is manifest in the following figures: (Continued on page four.)

FACULTY CHAPTER ELECTS

George Washington University Chapter of the American Association of University Professors held its 1923-24 organization meeting last week. Professor De Witt C. Croissant, who had been president of the chapter since its organization, three years ago, declined a re-election. Professor Robert F. Griggs was elected to succeed him. Professor H. G. Doyle was re-elected secretary. The following committees were appointed: Executive, Professors Griggs, Croissant, and Doyle; membership, H. W. Edgerton, R. W. Bolwell, and H. G. Doyle.

The American Association of University Professors bears the same relation to the teaching profession that the American Medical Association bears to the profession of medicine, or the American Bar Association to the profession of law. There are chapters in all the recognized colleges and universities.

ELECT GIRDNER PRESIDENT

Waldo Girdner was unanimously re-elected president of the Enosinian Literary Society at its first meeting, Monday, October 8. The other officers elected were: Courtland Baker, vice president; Irene Corri, secretary; Genevieve Wilson, treasurer; and Edwin S. Bettelheim, Jr., sergeant at arms. Many plans for the new year were laid.

DEAN WILBUR ON TRIP

Dean Wilbur is to represent the University at the celebration of the thirtieth anniversary of the founding of Hood College, Frederick, Md., on Wednesday, October 24.

JUNIOR ENGINEERS MEET

The Junior Engineering Class will meet Friday evening, October 26, 1923, at 8 p. m., in room No. 1, Lisner Hall, to elect officers and transact other important business.

BUT FOURTH OF STUDENTS HAVE SIGNED THE TAX

One-fourth of all students enrolled have signed the tax. The enrollment to date is 4,226; 251 in the Graduate School, 2,033 in Columbian College, 444 in Engineering College, 379 in Teacher's College, 236 in the Medical School, 895 in the Law School, and 28 in the Pharmacy School. This is five per cent greater than at the same date last year. Only 1,076 students have signed the tax so far.

SENIOR CLASS ELECTS TOLSON PRESIDENT

Marion Barker Made Vice President— Competition for All Offices Keen— Pledges Tax Support.

Real university spirit and interest in student activities were manifested Monday evening, October 15, at the election of the Senior Class officers of the Department of Arts and Sciences. Responding to the call of President Eugene Thomas of last year's Junior Class, the students who expect to receive their "sheepskins" next June came out almost en masse for the first time in years to elect its officers.

Hillory A. Tolson, three-year letter man and captain of the Track Squad 1922-'24, president of the G. W. Club, and on the Board of Managers, was elected president; Miss Marian Barker, managing editor of the Hatchet and on the Cherry Tree staff, vice president; Miss Maxine Rolfe, secretary of the Sophomore Class of '22, and prominent in school activities since her freshman year, secretary; Robert H. McNeill, manager of football and business manager of the Cherry Tree 1922-'23, G. W. Club, and present editor of the Hatchet, treasurer; and Miss Winifred DeVoe, famous for her artistic ability in connection with the Cherry Tree and "Ghost" sergeant at arms.

Competition for every office was keen, but that of treasurer was most hotly contested. The first ballot resulted in a tie vote, but the second showed a majority for McNeill.

In closing the meeting the president stated that the newly elected officers would meet in the very near future to formulate plans for the year and select the various class committees. "Cooperation with the Junior Class, a Senior Prom, and 'Every Senior a Tax Signer,'" he further stated, "should be the policies carried out by the class of '24."

BARNARD ADDRESSES FIRST BENCHERS' MEET

The Benchers held their first meeting of the year at the City Club on October 16. Phillip E. Barnard gave the members a very interesting and instructive talk on the nature and working of the Inns of Court, in England, which is a society of the most prominent lawyers in the English courts. The speaker recently returned from England where he made himself thoroughly familiar with the workings of the British courts.

The following term benchers have been elected for this year: R. D. Armstrong; Phillip E. Barnard, who was a member of the International Debating Team which defeated Oxford University on October 6; Harry Friedman; M. G. Harden; George K. Munson; Rebecca Perlman; Milton Perlman; and Henry Temin.

The Benchers' Honorary Legal Fraternity was organized at the Law School last spring, and is composed of "A" grade men. If a student has made an "A" average for the first two years, he or she is eligible to be elected as a "Term Bencher," and upon making an "A" average for the third year, is elected permanently to the organization. Acting Dean of the Law School Van Vleck is a member of the Benchers, he being one of the "Faculty Benchers."

The Benchers plan to hold their election of officers for the year within the next week or ten days.

G. W. MASONS TO MEET

The G. W. U. Masonic Club will hold its first meeting for the school year on Thursday evening, October 23, at 8 p. m., in the Gavel Club Rooms, 719 Thirteenth Street N. W. Every member of the club is urgently requested to be there.

Following a brief business session, a Smoker will be held at 9 p. m. for the Masons of the University Faculty and student body. Smokes, refreshments, and a good time are offered, and every Mason of the University is cordially invited to attend.

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THE OPPORTUNITY

The recently elected Student Council has a great opportunity before it. With the support of the entire University behind it and a willingness to carry on activities never before seen, the Council is in a position to advance students affairs to a plane that they have never before occupied.

By obtaining 2,500 signers to the activity pledge, the newly elected Council will accomplish the biggest thing possible at the present time for the University. This number of signers will guarantee The Ghost and further extend the athletics of the University.

George Washington University should have a baseball team. This would be assured with 2,500 signers. The other sports, publications and other interests would be further strengthened and new fields could be entered into by student endeavor if the opportunity of securing 2,500 signers is grasped.

The Hatchet has always been actively engaged in putting over the pledge. It now offers all of its support to the Council to put over its program. Undoubtedly the other activities can also be counted upon for their support.

With the undivided support that the present council has, it should be easy to put the drive for 2,500 signers over the top. The opportunity is here to put the activities on a high plane and the Council to make a name for itself in the history of the University.

The student body awaits with interest to see whether the newly elected Council will grasp its opportunity or whether it will squander its heritage.

ENTER THE GHOST

The Ghost is dead! Long live The Ghost! From the throats of five thousand students rings the cry "We want The Ghost!" Whenever two students are talking together one of them mentions the necessity of a magazine like The Ghost.

Cornell is known by the Widow, Princeton by her Tiger, Yale by her Record, and George Washington by her student body. Now students are good advertisers but they are a bit local. Their sphere of influence is a bit restricted.

Think, however, of a monthly magazine of sparkling wit sent out under the special provisions for second class mail to every city and hamlet in the United States. Why for advertising effects alone the affair would be stupendous.

Then there is a lot of talent in the University. The Ghost would give these embryo H. L. Menckens and Scott Fitzgeralds an opportunity to strut their stuff.

Seriously, there is a great demand on the part of the student body for such a magazine. It would fill a definite and long-felt need in the University. We would like to greet the appearance of such a monthly.

WE HAVE A CAMPUS

A ex G. W. student came back to school the other day. She stood on our concrete campus and cursed the day some one made her believe that she would find more spirit and more campus life somewhere else.

G. W. has campus life. Not the kind that depends on trees and buildings but the kind that exists in the heart of the student. Why else do we spend so much time standing out in front of the buildings talking to friends and enemies?

When we come in as Freshmen we hear that G. W. would be all right if we only had some campus life. Why we could be the world with a fence around it if we only had a campus.

No one has ever realized that we have a peculiarly active form of campus life. No where else do students become so well acquainted with their fellow students.

The leaders in student activities are not demigods that live away up on Olympus but are real people that the very Frosh can hail as friends.

What we need is not more campus life but a more definite feeling of belonging to some organization that means a great deal. Be proud of your College publicly, not in your secret heart.

FITTING IN

Do you fervently orate Marc Anthony's "Friends, Romans, Countrymen" or ripple over the piano keys with particular relish or do you like to give yourself expression in other lines? If you have any hobby at all, there is a place open for you in one or more of the student activities. You can do work that will not only develop your own personality and ability, but that will also place the school one notch farther ahead.

If you like to talk, and at the same time, to say something worth while, you have debating and public speaking organizations. If you like to be a cut-throat of a villain or a courageous hero, dramatics calls you. If your brawn is backed by brains, G. W. needs you in athletics. Whatever your hobby may be, there is right here a place for it to fit in.

"I'LL TELL THE WORLD"

You can do it by talking about your bluff on the recitation or the dimpled maid with whom you yesterday walked home, but your hearer isn't likely to be much edified by either. But you can make him prick up his ears by telling him about your school. Let him know G. W. U. is out to meet and overthrow all comers in debate. Impress upon him its win over Oxford in the Ruhr argument. Give him the publicity record for your school President, and point out how he is putting G. W. on the map. When your teacher has expounded some applicable philosophy, explain it to your friend. Laud the new spirit that has seized the school with the Freshmen caps and the coming cane rush between Sophomores and first year men. Ask him to compare the size of the average universities with G. W., and watch how they fall in the shade. Point to men of influence in public and professional life who are G. W. U. graduates.

Show G. W. U. in yourself to those you meet. Conform yourself to such speech and actions as will become a G. W. U. student. Utilize in everyday life what you learn in the class room. Show the fruits of your education so that people will ask what educational institution you claim. Speak G. W. and set the standard for G. W.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB PRACTICES.

The Girls' Glee Club held their first meeting and try-outs in the chapel at Lisner Hall on Friday, October 9. Mrs. Sweet was in charge and quite a number of girls were tried out. The lists of girls who have been accepted by the club will be published soon.

G. W. U. ADVANCEMENT IS PARTY PLATFORM

(Continued from first page.)

Extension of Athletics; Support of Endowment Campaign; Revival of "The Ghost"; Student Cooperation in the Selection of New Courses; and Open Elections Conducted Upon Live University Issues.

Party Controls Council.

The members of the Independent Party who have been elected to the Student Council and who will undoubtedly have the controlling vote in the council this year, have pledged themselves to support these issues, which if carried out, they feel will place the University in the forefront of American educational institutions.

The platform follows:
Believing that there is an immediate need for the formation of a large group of students, active in behalf of some definite program in University life, and believing further that the formation of such a party, with publicly expressed aims and ideals, will be a logical and effective step towards a greater University spirit and a more impressive record of student achievement, the Independent Party hereby states the platform upon which it stands, the ideals which it advances, and for which it solicits the support of the student body:

Offers Unqualified Support.

1. The Independent Party pledges itself, first of all, to fair and open student elections, in which the aims and purposes of all candidates shall be publicly stated and in which every effort shall be made to allow the student body to express its fullest opinion upon the issues involved.

2. The Independent Party pledges itself to whole-hearted and unqualified support of the present University administration in its efforts to vitalize all the branches of the University, to ensure for George Washington University the place in the public esteem which it deserves, to establish favorable and beneficial relations with other educational institutions and to maintain for the University the highest educational standards and the highest ideals of citizenship.

Desire More to Take Part.

3. The Independent Party pledges itself to work for the reorganization of Student Activities along lines suggested by general student experience and in accord with the consensus of student opinion. It seeks primarily to ensure a greater degree of participation by the students in the activities of the University than is now possible.

4. The Independent Party, cognizant of certain conditions leading to waste of energy, inefficiency in methods and discouragement of student interest, pledges itself to combat these and to offer constructive suggestions for their elimination and for the creation of more wholesome and encouraging conditions, especially in the varied fields of student activities.

5. The Independent Party pledges itself to make active efforts to cooperate with all the University agencies in the support of any plans which may be formulated for the strengthening and enlarging of the University by means of endowment or other financial programs.

Wants University Gym.

6. The Independent Party pledges itself to the support of athletics of all kinds which are now in the University and encourages others, if they have sufficient student support to make

them feasible additions. The general policy of the party looks definitely towards an extension of University athletics. Further, the Independent Party recognizes the need for some well-ordered system of physical training for the general students of the University, and if such a plan were to be taken under consideration would lend its support to the project of a University gymnasium.

7. The Independent Party supports the revival of "The Ghost," the University comic magazine, recognizing the many attendant advantages such as the extension of journalistic, literary, and business opportunities for students, the increase in University prestige, and the heightened University spirit which it promotes.

Additional Courses Favored.

8. The Independent Party encourages student reports and recommendations for the addition of courses of study to the University curriculum. It considers as especially helpful intelligent student thought upon new courses which seem desirable from the student's viewpoint.

9. The Independent Party pledges itself to take no stand in student affairs which is not preceded by deliberation and serious thought, which is not based first and primarily upon a concern for the welfare of the University as a whole.

10. The Independent Party recognizes the need for an intelligent, comprehensive student opinion, organized collectively and expressed after deliberation by known, responsible leaders. It sees the Independent Party as meeting this need. It believes that the Independent Party will be a helpful, calculable, and responsible force in University life and it pledges that it will do everything within its power to be worthy of that support.

PLAYWRITERS GUEST AT PEER GYNT REHEARSAL

Last Friday afternoon Mr. Morse's playwriting and oral composition classes had the privilege of watching the dress rehearsal of Peer Gynt by the Theatre Guild Company of New York. The invitation was extended to Mr. Morse by Mr. Basil Sydney, who is starring in the three productions which the company is putting on this week at the Belasco.

Beginning at a little after noon and continuing until 4 o'clock, the cast rehearsed scene after scene, traveling from the luxury of an ultra-eastern atmosphere to the madhouse scene and the unearthly walls of the insane. Peer Gynt was taken all the way from his reckless, heedless youth to a tottering old age. In spite of the disadvantages, and interruptions of a rehearsal, the fine acting and enthusiasm of the cast predicted an extremely interesting presentation of the play.

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HODGKINS AND MUNROE ADDRESS G. W. CHEMISTS

Petitions American Institute of Chemical Engineers for Chapter—Favors Student Activities.

Chemists and chemical engineers of G. W. U. met Wednesday, October 17, at the Chemical Society meeting. Dean Howard L. Hodgkins and Dr. Charles E. Munroe were the speakers of the evening. Dean Hodgkins discussed student activities, and expressed his approval of the formation of societies in the University. "I am young with you," he said. "I try to look at things from the students' standpoint. I try to see what they want."

"Forty years ago I studied chemistry. I thought I knew quite a bit about it. I find I know less and less, the age is progressing so fast. You are studying chemistry in a time of many new discoveries. No subject can be studied alone. I find, but must be looked at in all its relations. It is the person of broad knowledge who makes discoveries in a narrow field. I remember a definition which once impressed me very much—'A specialist is a broad man well sharpened.'"

Dr. Munroe spoke at some length of the necessity of promoting the alcohol industry, so that the plants of the country may not suffer through the current malfeverance of the Volstead act. He cited instances where laboratories in great need of alcohol have not been able to get it.

Society Offers Medal.

The society at this meeting decided to hold a chemical mixer next month, and a committee headed by Ray Hanu was appointed to carry out plans for it. A medal for the best paper on chemistry, read by a student before the society, will be awarded at the end of the year. The committee to design the medal was appointed, with Mr. Winkler as chairman.

A student chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers will probably be formed in the near future, and the whole chemical society incorporated into it. This will be one of the first college chapters in the country, as the institute has only recently begun to admit student chapters.

Officers of the society are: K. S. Markley, president; A. R. Hartman, vice president; Miss Virginia Cotter, secretary; W. L. Heller, treasurer pro tem. The executive committee is composed of Miss Vera Bailey, Ray Hanu, and Ronald C. McNab.

SOPHS AND FROSH TO STAGE CANE RUSH

Monument Lot to be Scene of Battle Which in Former Years Has Been a Spirited Tug of War.

On the evening of November 5, at the Monument Lot, the Freshmen will endeavor to free themselves from the bonds imposed upon them by their stern, uncompromising brothers, the Sophomores.

In former years the battle between the Sophs and Frosh has been a tug of war. The two classes lined up, the Frosh being on one side of the rope, the Sophs on the other. A fire-hose was placed near the center of the rope and a continuous stream of water poured forth. The object of the participants was to pull their opponents through this water, which rather dampened their spirits (?).

This year a cane rush, which is thought to be a more man to man affair, has been substituted. The Sophomores, who possess this much desired cane, will be rushed by Freshmen, who will try to capture it. There will be a time limit to the scrap which will decide the future fate of the Freshmen.

The Sophomores will be led into the fray by their president, Franklin Clements, who is well known by the Frosh for the persistent salesmanship of the Buff and Blue caps. The president of the Freshmen class, "Bill" Olson, will lead his forces. He modestly refused to attend the celebration planned for him on the night of his election, by the thoughtful members of the Sophomore Class.

EDITOR OF THE HATCHET, HELLO!

Until lately there has been a sad lack of college spirit at George Washington University, but thanks to our recent "Roll Call," we seem to have found ourselves at last. There is no one among us who does not wish to carry out the request of President Lewis that we put aside our trivial differences and band together for the Greater University.

One of the ways we can all help to create a better spirit is to use the word "hello" oftener. It is no crime for an unknown student to say a word of greeting to another George Washington man or woman, and surely it would help school spirit to a great degree. At other universities everyone says hello whether they know each other or not. In many cases, quite a number of friendships can be traced to this method.

Let us resolve to put the "Hello Rule" into practice and each of us—men and women alike—help the University to cultivate that invaluable asset—college spirit.

—BINGO.

TEACHERS TO MEET

Senior Teachers' meeting. October 24, in Lisher Hall Chapel, at 8.30 p. m.

DEBATING SOCIETY PLAN BANNER YEAR

"This society has the unique opportunity of making G. W. U. foremost in debate," confidently voiced Mr. James Stevens, newly elected president of the Columbian Debating Society at the Law School, October 19, 8 p. m. "We ought to make the coming four months a banner period for the society," added the president in his speech of acceptance. That this prediction was sure of materializing was evidenced by the crowd of sixty who turned out to ring in a new year with election of officers. Mildred Wilcox was unanimously elected vice president; R. C. Crowell, secretary; C. B. McRae, treasurer; Karl G. Pearson, press representative; Edward L. Scheuffer, critic; and C. I. Haycraft, representative to the debating council. Fifteen new members were voted in.

A live year is planned. Striking debates hold the floor at every Friday night meeting. McRae, Miller, Kosicki, and Pearson on October 26, will wage battle on, "Resolved, That the term of the President of the United States be extended to six years without reelection." Other up to the minute topics will be discussed at following meetings. Privilege to listen or participate is dependent only on payment of \$1.00 for dues each semester. It is significant that of the eighteen inter-collegiate debates of last year, fourteen were members of the society.

It is the aim of the society this year to double its membership, give social programs, create added school spirit, and let G. W. U. become the leading debating institution.

TO PRESENT "MOONSHINE"

"Moonshine," with Mr. Hartman as the revenue officer, and Mr. Meader Wright as the moonshiner, is to be presented in the near future by the G. W. players. This was decided at a meeting Wednesday night when Professors Morse, Croissant, and Ames were elected honorary members of the society. Two committees were appointed. Meader Wright and Phoebe Knapper were named to take charge of the publicity and Kirmil Girdner and Dorothea Stephens will have charge of the programs for the meetings.

Plans are also being made for the Christmas play, "The Ghost of a Chance," the Phi Mu prize play of 1922, written by Beatrice Henning, will probably be given, though other plays entered for the Phi Mu prize are being considered.

MEDIC FRAT HOLDS SMOKER

Phi Delta Epsilon Medical Fraternity held its initial smoker of the year at the chapter house, 1627 Massachusetts Avenue N. W., on Saturday evening, October 6. Twenty-five men were entertained. Professor Jenkins, Professor Roe, and Dr. King spoke.

Plans are being laid for a "Pledge Dance" on November 3, at the house.

CIVIL ENGINEERS, ATTENTION!

The Student Chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers will hold its first meeting of this school year Wednesday night, October 24, 1923, at 8 p. m., at the K. T. O. Fraternity House, 1734 K Street N. W. All students taking civil engineering are urged to attend.

There will be smokes, eats, and talks on subjects of particular interest to civil engineering students.

JUNIOR LAW POLITICIANS SCORE

Politicians at the Law School scored another big haul in the election of officers of the Junior Class. The ticket went through with practically no opposition—in fact, a great many of the members did not know who had been elected after it was all over. The following officers have been elected: Leighton C. Taylor, president; Stewart, vice president; Conlyn, secretary; Bresnahan, treasurer; and Lousberg, sergeant at arms.

The Better Wrestler.

A Scottish farmer was noted for his strength and skill. A young peer, a great pugilistic amateur, had come from London to fight the athletic Scot. The latter was working in an enclosure a little distance from the house when the amateur arrived. His lordship tied his horse to a tree and addressed the farmer thus:

"Friend, I have heard a great deal about you and I have come a long way to see which of us is the better wrestler."

The Scotman, without answering, seized the young man by the middle of his body, pitched him over the fence and returned to his work. When his lordship recovered his breath he stood silent.

"Well," said the farmer, "have you anything more to say to me?"

"No," was the reply, "but perhaps you'll be so good as to throw me my horse!"—Edinburgh Scotman.

"Well, I came down with flying colors, anyhow," remarked the painter who had just fallen off the scaffolding with a pot of paint in each hand.—California Club.

MORSE ANNOUNCES COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Contest a Quiet Affair—Independents Had Opposition at Medical—Candidates Defeated There.

Results of the election of candidates for the Student Council, the governing body of the University, are announced by Bryan Morse, Director of Student Activities:

Arts and Sciences—Daisy Robison, James C. Davis, Jr., "Red" Wallace. Engineering College—Henry James, Henry Sequist.

Law School—Lester W. Johnson, C. Melville Walker, Edw. L. Scheuffer. Teachers' College—Fred Wright. Medical School—Leslie H. French, Milton Friedman.

With the exception of the two Medical School members, all of the candidates ran, without opposition, upon the ticket of the Independent Party. The members elected to the Medical School were selected from five candidates, Homer K. Butler, Russell McNitt, and Samuel Rogers, Jr., being the three other candidates. The two last-named were Independent Party candidates. French polled a vote of 114, the highest; Friedman, 82, while McNitt and Butler followed with 60 and 42 each.

The fifteen members of the Student Council are now the new members named above, and in addition the following:

Robert W. Coldesh, Richard McPherson, John Russell, Hilory Tolson.

Election of the Student Council officers and the appointment of committees for the year was made on Saturday, October 20.

TEA FOR CROKER-KING

One of the first social events of the scholastic year at G. W. U. was a tea given Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mr. G. B. Croker-King, of the Theatre Guild in the W. U. C. rooms. The faculty, members of the English classes 9, 45, 46, and 48, and a few other guests were present.

Mr. Croker-King is a player of note on four continents. He is one of the greatest actors of the day. For the last twenty-five years he has appeared in England, South Africa, and America in many well-known plays. He has had Sir Herbert Tree, Sir Henry Irving, Bernard Shaw, and many others as directors. He appeared at the Belasco this past week as Count Mancini in "He Who Gets Slapped," General Burgoyne in "The Devil's Disciple," and the Troll King in "Peen Gynt."

He gave many interesting anecdotes of theatrical life and some very entertaining impersonations. Although all was given in a humorous way, much good information was gleaned by the members of the various English classes.

After this tea was served, Mrs. Croissant pouring and Miss Beatrice Henning, Miss Dorothea Stephens, and Miss Ellen Littlepage assisting.

CHAPEL SPEECH ON HARMONY

Rev. Wm. L. Darby, executive secretary of the Washington Federation of Churches, addressed the assembly held at 12.20 Friday, October 19th. In his brief talk Dr. Darby stressed the present need of harmony in the church, the state, and school. In the further development of this topic, Dr. Darby emphasized that respect for administration and greater cooperation of faculty and students would augment a sentiment of brotherhood in our university without which all efforts to stimulate growth would be futile. The latter period of the assembly was devoted to singing under the leadership of Director Lawrence.

WONDERINGS AND WANDERINGS OF THE LOCO WEED.

I wonder
Why
Some Night Students
Get the impression
That College Spirit
And Pep
And Ginger
Belong only
To the Day Pupils!
In my wanderings
About the Campus
I overheard
A wisp of a girl
Make this
Remark:
"Although I
Can not go to all
The games,
I can
Help with the
Activity Fee,
And thus
Cheer MY TEAM
AND MY UNIVERSITY,
And
Although I am
A Night Student
I try
To keep up
With
University Doings."
How many
Of the students
Feel that way
About
Their DUTY
TO THE TEAM,
THE UNIVERSITY,
AND
THEMSELVES?
I wonder!

THE TEA-HOUND

The Phi Mus turned out en masse for the game.

Saw Dean Miller and Mrs. Burnett there, too.

It pleased the students to see President and Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, Dean and Mrs. Reudiger, Dean and Mrs. Van Vleck, Professor and Mrs. Bolwell, and Professors Croissant, Doyle, Griggs, Deibert, and West among the rooters. There may have been more of the faculty there—the crowd was so large, we couldn't see everybody.

The Sigma Chis had a party on the 14th. Betty Bradford was there and so were Carolyn West, Dorothy Bartley, Frances Walker, and the usual run of Pi Phis.

Douglas Beatie has a way of picking out striking girls as well as striking ties.

I wonder does Jeff like Hellen?

The "Rabbit Hole" is wearing white carnations this year instead of wine ones.

It seems like five years ago—we see Bob Pulliam and Foster Hagan around sometimes.

Daisy Robison wears a K. A. pin. All the sleuths get busy!

Edna Kilpatrick and Sophia Waldman were at Wardman last Saturday with naval officers, and they were so stuck up about it that they wouldn't even look our way.

Sara French Smith and Henry James were at Keith's together on Friday night.

The Theta Deltas gave a dinner party at their new house on P Street, in honor of Dean Wilbur. "Among those present" were Anna Waring, Dorothy Lewis, Helen Gregg, Abigail Lane, and Vera Stafford.

Saw Don Little hanging out of a taxi window the other day with a searching look on his face.

Winifred De Voe still has an eye for color.

Frances Davis and Grace Harris went to Annapolis last week-end.

We saw Miss Kincannon on the links one Sunday morning not long ago. No professor is going to get ahead of our registrar.

Dorothea Stevens has a shiny new miniature.

The enthusiasm manifested at Chapel nowadays makes us feel like a real University. They're enough to make the "Tea Hound" leave his tea.

Saw Dorothy Patton at "LaParadis" with Francis Brown one night last week.

We dare Dotty Latimer and Red Wallace to walk down the street together.

Bob McNeil spends most of his time waiting around for Frances Davis now. He also furnishes the Pi Phis in Dr. Churchill's English history class with a book.

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INTERFRAT MEN PROMISE BIG BASKETBALL SEASON

To Start Early in November—Keen
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For First Contest.

Interfraternity basketball promises to be a big factor in this fall's George Washington sport world. Even though baseball has only recently faded from the screen and King Football has hardly begun his act, the Frat men are talking basketball. The court game is a favorite among the Greeks and a bloody contest always results when Greek meets Greek. Already a number of basketballers from the fraternities have shaken the moth balls out of their jerseys, blown the smoke out of their lungs, and are sharpening their shooting eye.

The series has been very popular the last three years and promises to be more so in 1924. The games this year will in all probability begin much earlier than usual, about the first of November, to enable the players to develop into varsity material. The first series was won by Theta Delta Chi from Sigma Alpha Epsilon in a heart-rendering contest, which was not decided until the last minute. The second series found the S. A. E.'s turning the tables on the Theta Deltas and defeating them after trailing for three quarters. Last year's final was fought out between Delta Tau Delta and Phi Sigma Kappa, the former winning only after a hard fight.

Last year found a number of brilliant players in the series who will probably play this year. Delta Tau Delta's championship team is almost intact with such excellent players as Newby, Nichols, and Davis. The Phi Sigs boast of a great team, although they lose their mainstay "Zeke" Klopsch, since he earned his varsity letter they have such players as the Randolph brothers and Jie Rutley, all of whom saw varsity service last year. S. P. E. will put a nice team on the floor with Butler and Law as their veterans. The Theta Deltas, once champions and once runners-up, have two great little players in Beeton and Vernon Brown, and can be counted on to furnish real opposition this year. Stuart was the star of the Sigma Chi team of last year. Johnny Dice and Eismann form the nucleus of the K. A. outfit. St. John at center played the best game for Sigma Nu last year. The Kappa Sigs had rather a green team last year, but one which should develop a winner in this year's rumpus. Wayne and Stephens were the main strength of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. All the teams hope Big Steve is missing before the first game.

SENIOR ENG. TO ELECT

The Senior Class of Engineers will meet Friday evening in Lisner Hall, October 26, 1923, to elect officers for this year.

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Latest gossip on the links has it that Gregory Hankin with a fine new outfit of clubs is engaged in discovering that the longest distance between two points is a miss, a slice, a drive in the rough, and a missed putt.

TO ORGANIZE CHEERING

A meeting of the Freshman Class will soon be called by Bill Olsen, Class President, to further the cause of organized cheering at G. W. U. Yell leaders will be appointed to represent the class at the games. "We Freshmen want to put the cause of G. W. U. ahead, and the name of G. W. U. on the map, and we can't expect to win unless we sing and yell about it," said Olson. "The Freshman Class is alive and is going to help the school."

McLEAN TWINS STAR IN DOWNING DREXEL

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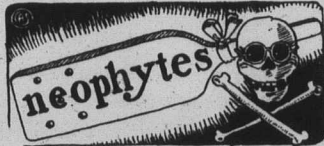
G. W. attempted 23 passes, 10 of which were completed for 115 yards; two were intercepted, and the rest grounded. The Hatchettes were penalized about 55 yards, chiefly for roughing the kicker. The locals made 10 first downs.

Drexel tried 6 passes; two were completed for 13 yards, three intercepted, and one grounded. They were penalized 30 yards and made but three first downs. Buff and Blue fumbles were costly.

The line-up follows:

G. W.	Drexel
Ptak	L. E. McGinley
Lackey	L. T. Mackin
Hotel	L. G. McQuarrie
Clements	C. Corson
Fletcher	R. G. Flakowski
Allan	R. T. Shelley
Sawyer	Casner
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Substitutions, George Washington. J. McLean for G. McLean, Pryor for Lamar, Goldaman for Fletcher, Lamar for Pryor, Ray for Laux, Ketchum for Ray, E. Miller for Allan, Pryor for Lamar, J. McLean for G. McLean, Griffith for Clements, Drexel, Goldberg for Woolman, Reigel for Flakowski, Ziegler for Woolman, Clark for Goldberg, Kelly for McQuarrie. Touchdown. Ptak. Goal from touch down, missed, Lamar (dropkick). Safety, Maher. Referee, Towers (Eastern). Umpire, Kelly (Holy Cross). Linesman, Degnan (Gonzaga). Time of periods, 12 and 10 minutes.



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HATCHETITES TO MEET MARINES AT NORFOLK

To Get Taste of All-American Opposition—Quigley's Men to Give
Hard Battle.

Next Sunday afternoon the Hatchette eleven gets a taste of All-American opposition when they meet the U. S. Marine team of Norfolk, Va. After the hard battle of Saturday the locals are in fine fettle and ready for the Devil Dogs.

The Marines have a great team. Beckett, from the west coast, a truly great All-American player, forms part of a sturdy line. Larsen at center comes as an All-American from the Naval Academy, where he captained the team. Kyle, at end, is another strong player for the sailor-soldiers.

In the backfield perhaps the best known is Geottge, who is accounted the greatest fullback in the game today. It was his great line plunging which led to the fall down of the Hill-toppers after they had held the lead during the first half.

The Buff and Blue outfit will take the boat Friday night and sail down the Potomac for Norfolk. The locals, led by Jimmy Ptak, have been playing strong football lately and are sure to give the Marines a hard battle.

Sawyer, shifted from tackle, has been giving a good account of himself at the opposite wing from Ptak, and will help strengthen the Hatchette line. The line is beefier than before with Fletcher, Hottle, Lackey, and Allen forming the nucleus.

The backs who will probably show their wares Saturday are George McLean, the speedy 120 pound youngster, "Bo" Lamar, Henderson, and Homer Fryor.

GIRLS' TOURNAMENT ATTRACTS INTEREST

Girl sports are enlarging every year at George Washington, and this year great results are expected from the girls, according to Bee Woodford, in charge of the tennis tournament and coach of girl swimmers.

The only sport that has started is tennis. The tournament has been going on for the past few weeks and is to continue until the end of October. After the finals are finished a list of the ten best known girls will be posted, and any girl will be allowed to challenge any of those on the list for a place on the team. The month of November will be the time during which the girls will be allowed to challenge.

There will be a tennis tournament on October 31, with Gallaudet College. Several girls will participate in this tournament, as three sets of single matches and two sets of double matches will be played.

TO FORM E. E. CHAPTER

Another step towards a greater G. W. U. was taken Friday evening, October 18, when a meeting of the electrical engineers was held in Lisner Hall for the purpose of forming a student chapter of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers at George Washington University. About thirty students, members of the Engineering Society, signified their intention of filing applications for membership in the Institute. Professor Ames presided at the meeting and a committee was appointed to obtain members and make application for a student chapter to the national headquarters in New York City. Any students desiring to become members can obtain application blanks from Professor Ames or V. L. Johannesen, W. F. Roeser, M. S. Treadwell, W. V. Warren, J. H. Pim.

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